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Lamb Chops, per lb., 35c-40c; Veal Roasts, lb. .... 28c-35c  
Native Pork Roasts, per lb. .... 30c, 32c, 34c  
Western Beef Roasts, lb., 35c-38c; Boneless Shoulders, 35c  
Bacon, sliced, per lb., 44c; whole, per lb. 38c  
Pork Sausage, per lb., 30c; Beef Sausage, per lb. .... 27c  
Bermuda Onions, per lb., 8c; Spinach Greens, per peck. . 40c  
String Beans, Lettuce, Radishes, Cucumbers, Asparagus, New Cabbage, Rhubarb, New Potatoes, etc.

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### TALK OF THE TOWN

See A. V. Beckley's adv. for paint and wall paper—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee W. Leonard of Calais were business visitors in the city yesterday.

Josee Lougee has received word of the safe arrival of her son, Glen A. Lougee, across the ocean.

Eri Whitcomb and Simon Dwinell of Marshfield were among the business visitors in Barre yesterday.

A special meeting of the Burns club will be held in Glen Gordon hall Monday evening, May 20, at 7:30 o'clock. J. Hogg, secretary.

Mrs. Agnes Williams and Miss Ruth Nelson left yesterday for a several weeks' vacation, which will be spent in Philadelphia and Bar Harbor, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Hulbert, who have been visiting friends in Barre while attending the Odd Fellows' convention, returned this morning to their home in St. Albans.

Mrs. Helen Stephen of Pleasant street attended the meeting of the L.O.O.L.M.U. at Lawrence, Mass., recently, instead of Mrs. Margaret Stephens, as announced in The Times a few days ago.

Interest maturing May 15 on second Liberty bonds of the People's National bank has been collected, placed to the credit of those having accounts and checks are ready for delivery for the others.

George Wallstrom, who is employed in New Haven, Conn., is passing a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wallstrom of Essex street. Upon his return to New Haven he will be accompanied by Mrs. Wallstrom and child, who have been spending several weeks with relatives in Barre and Montpelier.

Sergeant Hermon P. Duffany of Camp Crane, Allentown, Pa., was married May 9 to Miss Olive G. Robinson of North Ferrisburg. Sergeant Duffany left May 10 for Camp Crane and expects to leave for over across soon. Mrs. Duffany will remain with her mother at North Ferrisburg for the present. Both bride and groom are well known in Williamstown and vicinity, the bride having taught school in Williamstown, Chelsea and Northfield in the past.

Back to Calais went Henry Bailey yesterday. "Little Breches," as he is known in his own home town, received a clean bill from Magistrate H. W. Scott in municipal court, a clean bill so far as the burglary charge against him was concerned. The alibi-bearer of the sobriquet, "Little Breches," had been in custody for a week while awaiting a hearing on a charge that he forced his way into a Calais sugar house sometime in April. Just now the only offenses alleged against him are petty larceny charges, which specify the alleged theft of sugar and sugar buckets. Mr. Bailey obtained his release by furnishing \$100 bail on each count.

Final preparations will be made today for the annual convention of the state Knights of Columbus, which is to open with a dance in Howland hall Monday evening. Reports from twelve councils representing the state jurisdiction indicate that all of them will be liberally represented. The business session Tuesday forenoon is to follow a celebration of mass at St. Monica's church. The present officers of the state organization are as follows: Deputy, E. J. Driscoll of St. Albans; secretary, E. J. Howard of Bellows Falls; treasurer, Arthur C. Moore of Barre; warden, J. F. Smith of Rutland; advocate, B. J. Mulcahy of Hardwick; chaplain, Rev. D. J. O'Sullivan of St. Albans.

Corporal Daniel Gould, whose death in France was announced in yesterday's casualty list, was a former resident of Barre, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Gould, being well remembered by many people hereabouts. The young man is entered on the list as having died of wounds. Two days earlier his father and mother, who are now residing in New Vineyard, Me., received a message stating that he was wounded. A week ago today his sister's funeral was held in New Vineyard, and his aunt, Mrs. W. M. Holden of South Main street, was present at the obsequies. Mr. Holden and son, Max C. Holden, left by automobile yesterday morning for Maine to accompany Mrs. Holden back to Barre. Corporal Gould was about eleven years old when his parents left Barre. The family lived in Bethel for a time, and then moved to Maine.

Observance in some way of Italy-America day May 24 seems to be favored by a good many residents of the Barre Italian colony, and while there is little time in which to arrange for a celebration of Italy's participation in the war, there are those who believe that some official recognition of the day should be made. The Italy-America society, of which Charles E. Hughes is the president, is fostering plans for a nation-wide observance. Each city will commemorate the day in its own way, but the slogan for individuals will be "Wear flowers to signify America's friendship for her Italian allies." Here in Barre the anniversary of Italy's entry into the war comes a day before many young men of the colony are leaving home to join the colors, and it has been suggested that Italy-America day should be a celebration in honor of the drafted men might be combined.

Interest grows in the war rally at the opera house Tuesday evening, when Mrs. Beatrice Forbes-Robertson Hale is to be the principal speaker. F. H. Brooks of St. Johnsbury, Vermont's new food administrator, wires from Washington, D. C., that Mrs. Hale's message should make a special appeal to the men, although women and older children are asked to be present at the rally. The local committee is arranging for music and other features of an old-time patriotic rally. Mrs. Hale is too well known on the stage, as a lecturer and as a writer to need any extended notice, and the fact that she has already thrilled several Vermont audiences should insure a large attendance. No admission is to be charged. Here is what the St. Albans Messenger said after Mrs. Hale's recent lecture in that city: "The audience was stirred as it has not been stirred at any previous rally held here since the outbreak of the war."

Recent improvements at Hope cemetery are beginning to appear at their best as the result of warm rains and warmer temperature, and as Memorial day approaches the new burial ground assumes a degree of attractiveness that is in itself ample reward for the extra labor and expenses represented. Upward of \$250 worth of shrubbery has been set out. New flower beds have been laid out, and the system of reforestation adopted some years ago has been continued. Yet the most noticeable change in the appearance of the cemetery is on the plateau south of the main burial ground, which has been redeemed from a rather barren and unsightly stretch of ground. Many who have visited the new section believe it to be the most sightly corner of the entire cemetery. It overlooks the main road, and already a number of unusually fine memorials have been erected there. A beginning on the new section was made by Supl. Alex. Hanton and his men last fall. It has been transformed in a remarkably short time and with excellent results.

### RED + NOTES

One hundred and seventeen names are on the list of those who are to leave Barre and the district covered by the Barre branch of the Red Cross and its auxiliaries by draft and self-inductions during the next week or two. This means 117 comforts kits and 234 pairs of socks. It has been a real pleasure for the various branches of the Red Cross to provide the articles needed for each country and the required number will be provided this time. Yarn has arrived for the socks and a large quantity was distributed yesterday. The first quota of boys leaves next Friday, and all who have socks nearing completion or who can, by giving a little extra time between now and then, complete theirs within a few days, are asked to see that they are turned in not later than Thursday to Mrs. S. N. Parker, Spaulding street, or Miss Ruth Parker at the library.

Now that the war chest has been decided upon, the drive for that will take the place of the Red Cross drive in Barre City, the quota for the city being taken from the funds available in the war chest. But in the surrounding places and Barre Town, the drive will take place next week. Certainly there can be no question in the mind of any as to the need of the funds or the good use to which they will be put. Hence each one to whom the call comes should give as much as he feels able to. Your relatives, your friends are in the big battle and it is for them, in particular, as well as the whole body of the allies in general, that you will be giving. Give what you can.

The busy hum of machines and voices was heard again yesterday at the work room at the Spaulding building, when a goodly number were present to work on the making of convalescent garments and comfort kits. Last week there was a falling off of attendance that was discouraging, but yesterday the forces were back and a large amount of work was turned out. There were new faces to be seen among the workers and it is hoped that each week may see more, as well as those who have for weeks and months been found there each day that the work room is open.

Proof that it is best to send knitted articles through the Red Cross and then let the army leaders see that the boys are provided, rather than to send them directly to the boys at the front, was allowed for some time. It is given by the following letter from a Rutland boy, who wrote home to his parents as follows: "Don't send me any more socks. I have nearly 20 pairs and will not use most of them until next winter and I think they will last until 1920. The leather gloves I had last winter lasted one month."

The yarn for socks has come at last and any who know how or will learn should make this their time for assisting the Barre branch. The boys are going in larger groups just now than for some time back and when you realize that each is to receive two pairs of socks, you can readily see that it will take some body's time to make them. Will you give your time that the boys may be supplied with the necessary articles?

The Rutland Woman's club has installed a knitting machine that will turn out a pair of socks in 12 minutes, and from now on the members will be busy making articles for the army and navy. Refugees will receive their first attention and Martha Washington kits are to be made for women who have been for

### THE EASTMAN STORE

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### WAR-TIME SAVINGS

Let us get down to the real meaning of war-time economy. Saving does not mean not buying and hoarding one's dollars; on the contrary, it means to spend more intelligently and productively. Buy goods that you need and buy to eliminate waste, that nothing shall be wasted, and you will not only help yourself, but Uncle Sam.

Here are some specials that will interest you:

LADIES' WHITE CANVAS PUMPS at ..... \$2.15  
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MEN'S WORK SHOES at ..... \$2.85 to \$4.00  
MEN'S ARMY LAST SHOES (these cannot be beat), at ..... \$5.25  
OUR LINE OF E. C. SKUFFERS FOR CHILDREN are winners, from \$1.65 to \$2.62  
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### BULK SEEDS

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PEAS—Rice's Extra Early Peas, Dwarf; Rice's Bliss American Wonder Peas, Dwarf; Rice's Champion of England Peas, Tall; Rice's Telephone Peas, Tall.

BEANS—Black Wax Dwarf Beans, Pencil Pod Wax Beans, Cranberry Pole Beans, Cranberry Dwarf Beans, Marrowfat Beans.

CORN—Golden Bantam Corn, Black Mexican Corn, Stowell's Evergreen Corn, Crosby's White Corn.

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Our advice is: Buy your seeds early and don't waste them. Buy only what you actually need.

Fresh Cut Asparagus, per bunch ..... 18c  
Fresh Strawberries, per basket ..... 28c

Fresh Spinach, Radishes, Lettuce, Cucumbers, Texas Onions, Bunch Onions, Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, etc.

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### The Daylight Store

some time without homes. Besides a nightgown, there will be needles, pins, buttons and the many little articles which they have been for a long time doing without.

Within the last few months Mrs. J. C. Davis and Mrs. E. J. Gauthier and daughter, Mrs. Currier, have been the champion knitters of Johnson. Mrs. Davis has knit 35 pairs of socks and Mrs. Gauthier and Mrs. Currier 24 sweaters.

A record in hand knitting is thought to have been made by Mrs. Edson F. Starks of Dorset, who finished one sock in one hour and 20 minutes.

### Time to Buy That Camera Long Ago

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But never too late to buy a camera now. Spring looks pretty nice, and a camera and outdoors always seem to go together. We would like to sell you a nice camera for yourself or one for the youngsters, and perhaps you would like a small, compact, vest-pocket size to send to some boy who is fighting for you and for us.

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### BAKERY DEPARTMENT

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### MEAT DEPARTMENT

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